



NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Kevin J. Tracey and Hong Wang

Serial No.:

10/729,427

Group:

1614

Filed:

December 5, 2003

Examiner:

Michel Graffeo

Confirmation No.: 8405

For:

INHIBITION OF INFLAMMATION USING α7 RECEPTOR-BINDING

CHOLINERGIC AGONISTS

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on:

Typed or printed name of person signing certificate

Mail Stop Appeal Brief-Patents Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

06/23/2006 NNGUYEN1 00000071 10729427

01 FC:1401 02 FC:1253

500.00 OP 570.00 OP

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated December 21, 2005 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 4, 10-15 and 20-23. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.	[]	Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in						
		response to	the Office Ac	ction Made Final dated	[] for [] month(s)		
		from [] to [].				

- 2. [X] A two month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final dated December 21, 2005 was filed on May 19, 2006 with payment of a \$450.00 fee.
 - [X] Applicant hereby petitions for an additional one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final.

3.	Fees a	ees are submitted for the following:									
	[]	Extension of Time for [] month(s)			\$					
	[X]	Additional Extension of									
		Fee for Extension	(3 mo.)	\$	1020	_					
		Less fee paid	(2 mo.)	- \$	450	_					
		Balance of fee due				\$	570				
	[X]	Notice of Appeal				\$	500				
	[]	Other				\$					
					TOTAL	\$	1070				
4.	The method of payment for the total fees is as follows: [X] A check in the amount of \$1070.00 is enclosed.										
	[] Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 in the amount of \$[].										
ma	Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting										

Respectfully submitted,

HAMILTON, BROOK, SMITH, REYNOLDS, P.C.

Alexander Akhiezer

Registration No.: 54,617 Telephone: (978) 341-0036

Facsimile: (978) 341-0036

Concord, MA 01742-9133

Date:

purposes.

6/21/00